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THE UNIVERSITY COMMUNITY

An address by Professor William Clayton Bower delivered at the Divinity School Convocation in Joseph Bond Chapel, June 31, 1941.

YOU who are about to receive your degrees may be leaving the quadrangles, but you are not leaving the University. We of the Faculty do not think of the University in terms of a formal institution. The University is not the quadrangles, the buildings, the libraries, or the laboratories. It is not an assembly of specialists and scholars engaged in research, writing books, or conducting classes. It is not a student body pursuing fields of study. To us the University is a spiritual fact, which gathers up into itself these component elements, and something more, in a living entity.

This living entity may best be expressed by the word "community"—a community of persons of different degrees of maturity and wealth of experience engaged in free inquiry into the nature of man and his world and into the ideal ends that should guide personal and social living.

As a spiritual community the University has extensions of inspiring dimensions. It includes all those of the past who, both as teachers and as students, have labored here. Though these have passed from our immediate company, their lives and achievements have been transmuted into abiding influences that live on in the growing ideals and achievements of the University, thus achieving immortality.

In like manner what we as present living members of the University think and achieve will live on in the continuing community. Your leaving the quadrangles does not mean that you will cease to be members of the University. Wherever you may be, in whatever part of the world or engaged in whatever task, *there* will be a living part of the University. The quality of its life will be enriched by what you are and do. Having once

been a part of the University community, you are henceforth indissolubly bound to it by the ties of its common life.

During your sojourn here we of the Faculty have sought to translate the motto of the University into a concrete experience. We have sought to provide the conditions under which knowledge might grow and life at the same time be enriched. We ask nothing more of you who are about to carry the spirit of the University into the larger world than that in your personal living and in your professional careers you should extend this experience through the continued increase of knowledge and enlargement of the common life.

ADDRESS GIVEN BY GEORGE GORDH, Ph.D.

I speak on behalf of the graduating class, and in the few moments which I have there is only one thing to say. It is not trite, because it is woven into the fiber of our being. That thing is a word of gratitude to the Divinity School of the University of Chicago.

To the Administration, especially as it has personalized itself in the friendly counsel of the Dean; to the Faculty, for helping us to shape the tools of inquiry, furnishing us with stores of materials, and, most of all, for aiding us in formulating the beginnings of a religious philosophy of life; to our fellow-students for sharing our problems and our joys— to all of you we say, "Thank you."

But gratitude must be more than words; it has a promise of future in it. And our realest gratitude will express itself in the manner in which we uphold the twin ideals of our Divinity School: intelligence and religion. For intelligence without religion becomes irresponsible and demonic; and religion without intelligence, likewise, becomes irresponsible and demonic. Now we are to use the richness that is in the Bible; draw upon the history of the Christian religion and of other religions; build a theology which is critical without being cynical, constructive without being vacuous; and now we must actually enter into operative Christianity.

The hymns which have been sung here, and the words which have been spoken, represent the spirit which characterizes our class: unity in diversity. We are united, but we are not all alike.

THE FACULTY

Dean Ernest C. Colwell spoke at the luncheon of the Roger Williams Fellowship at the Northern Baptist Convention in Wichita, May 20, and also at the Divinity School alumni luncheon, May 22. He reported informally on scholarship awards to theological students at the annual meeting of the Midwestern Section of the American Association of Theological Schools. Dean Colwell was elected president of the Midwestern Section for the next biennium. He spoke at the Southeastern "Y" conference for college students at Blue Ridge, North Carolina, on June 11. He gave the opening address at the Epworth League Institute of the Ann Arbor District of the Methodist church at Adrian College, July 6. On July 13 Dean Colwell preached in the Community Church at Addison, Michigan.

Dean Charles W. Gilkey recently has been visiting preacher at Wellesley and Connecticut colleges. He gave baccalaureate addresses at Eastern State Teachers College, Richmond, Kentucky, June 1, and at the Illinois State Normal University, Normal, Illinois, June 8. Dr. Gilkey preached at Riverside Church in New York City on June 15. He gave commencement addresses at Ball State Teachers College, Muncie, Indiana, June 6; Asheville School, North Carolina, June 12; and Colby Junior College, New London, New Hampshire, June 16. Graduation exercises attended by Dean Gilkey were: Greenfield (Ind.) High School, May 27; Brazil (Ind.) High School, May 28; Madison (Ind.) High School, May 29; Mishawaka (Ind.) High School, June 4; Elkhart (Ind.) High School, June 5; Sault Ste Marie (Mich.) High School, June 19; and Tuley High School in Chicago, June 26. Church gatherings attended by him include the Baptist Missionary Training School Founders' Day Dinner, April 15; the First Presbyterian Annual Dinner, April 16; the Baptist Men's Dinner, Jackson, Michigan, April 17; Wesley Foundation of the University of Illinois, April 20; Aurora College Chapel, April 23; Lutheran Synod of Chicago, April 29; Centennial of First Baptist Church, Benton, Illinois, May 1; New First Congregational Church's Ninetieth Anniversary, May 20; the Northern Baptist Convention, Wichita, Kansas, May 23; and the triple ordination at Oak Park Congregational Church, June 9, of A. C. Ronander, Howard F. Schomer, and Philip Palmer, all former or present students in the Divinity School. Dean Gilkey gave four lectures at the University College on "Religion in a Crisis," April 18–May 9. At the end of the first summer term Dean Gilkey will leave for vacation at his summer cottage in West Boothbay Harbor, Maine.

Professor Edwin E. Aubrey spoke at the Milwaukee Y.W.C.A., April 1, and gave three addresses to the Elgin, Illinois, Y.W.C.A., April 5–6. He reported on attitudes of state universities toward interdenominational recruiting for the ministry at the Conference of Theological Schools, April 18. Dr. Aubrey spoke at the international convention of the Disciples of Christ, in St. Louis, May 1; presented the memorandum of the Chicago ecumenical group at the North American

Ecumenical Study Conference at Toronto, June 2; and gave a series of eight addresses on "Christian Faith in Critical Days" at the Student Christian Movement Conference at Hollister, Missouri, June 7–14. His article, "The Possibility of a Christian Social Order," was published in the spring issue of *Christendom.* He attended the meeting in New York in May of the Committee of Direction of the commission appointed by the Federal Council of Churches to study the bases of a just and durable peace. He is a member of the Advisory Council of the Chicago Sunday Evening Club.

Professor William C. Bower on March 28 addressed the Chicago Association of Church Women and preached on March 30 in the First Methodist Church of Irving Park. He participated in a panel discussion on the proposal of Dr. Johnson, Superintendent of the Chicago Public Schools, to offer released time and credit for religious education in the churches, at Mandel Hall, April 3, and at a later date took part in a similar panel discussion at the Union ministers' meeting. He has been elected chairman of the Interfaith Committee, which represents Protestant, Catholic, and Jewish religious groups in connection with this plan. Dr. Bower participated in a symposium at the Disciples ministers' meeting on April 7 in Chicago. He represented Transylvania College at the installation of President Cotton at the Presbyterian Theological Seminary in Chicago. On May 1 Professor Bower addressed the Parents' Council of the South Shore Presbyterian Church. He served as a member of a committee on a program of religion for the St. Charles School for Boys. May 28 he addressed teachers of the First Presbyterian Church and on June 3 spoke at the Joseph Bond Chapel Convocation Service. During part of the Spring Quarter Dr. Bower served as Acting Dean in the absence of Dean Colwell. He also spent a short vacation at Potawatomi Inn, Pokogan Park, Indiana. ("Swell place," comments Dr. Bower.) He has published a series of seven articles on "The Origin and Use of the Bible" in the *Classmate* of the Methodist Episcopal church. His article, "What Do We Want Those Who Come Up through the Preaching Ministry of the Church To Think about the Bible?" appeared in the *International Journal of Religious Education.* Dr. Bower participated in a panel discussion on religion and education at the conference of Federal Council, International Council, and City and State Church Federation representatives at Lake Geneva on July 4.

Professor W. E. Garrison participated in discussions of the Baptist-Congregational-Disciples group monthly during the winter and spring. He attended the Disciples convention in St. Louis, May 3–6, and spoke at one of the Campbell Institute's "midnight sessions." On May 8, Butler University Honor Day in Indianapolis, he gave an address. Dr. Garrison attended the session of the American Theological Committee of Faith and Order, in New York City, June 5–7. This was his first meeting since appointed a member of this committee. During the spring recess Dr. Garrison visited his children and grandchildren in Buffalo and Detroit. He spoke at the Baptist and Disciples joint ministers' meeting in Buffalo, New York, on June 16. He attended

two conferences and gave two lectures, July 7 and 8, at Missouri State Teachers College, Warrensburg, Missouri, on "Religion and Democracy" and "Religion and Education." On August 4–8 Dr. Garrison is to give five addresses at the adult conference to be held under the auspices of the Federation of Church Women, at Frontenac, Minnesota. After that he intends to take a short vacation somewhere north and/or west.

Professor Charles Hartshorne's book, *Man's Vision of God and the Logic of Theism*, has been published by Willett, Clark and Company.

Professor Charles T. Holman visited Columbia, Missouri, May 13 and 14, speaking at the College of the Bible and addressing a luncheon of University of Missouri and Stephens College faculty members and administrators on "Some Contributions of Religion to the Mental Health of Students." On May 15 he visited Drury College, Springfield, Missouri, met one of Dean L. L. Leftwich's classes, and spoke at a luncheon of Chicago alumni. On Friday, May 16, he addressed a Divinity School alumni luncheon at the Y.M.C.A. in Kansas City, Missouri, and on Sunday, May 18, preached in Roanoke Baptist Church, Kansas City, of which Dr. Earl Riney, a Divinity School regional adviser, is pastor. The week of May 19–24 was spent in attendance upon the meeting of the Northern Baptist Convention at Wichita, Kansas. He lectured June 18–20 on "Pastoral Psychology" at the Graduate School of Ministerial Training conducted by the Illinois Methodist Conference at Illinois Wesleyan University, Bloomington. July 22–26 was spent with the Iowa Methodist Pastors at Clear Lake, Iowa, conducting a seminar on "Pastoral Counseling." *Getting Down to Cases* is the title of his new book, which the Macmillan Company will publish shortly.

Professor A. E. Holt was in Maine until July 8, after which he spoke at the Minnesota School of Ministerial Training held at St. Paul. The last week in July and the first of August he is teaching at the Pastors' Institute. August 11–15 will be spent at Merom, Indiana. He will be at Tower Hills September 2–5. Dr. Holt gave the commencement addresses at Dundee, Illinois, June 1, and at Bluffton, Indiana, June 10. His book, *Christian Roots of Democracy in America*, was published in the spring and is to be the missionary study-book for this fall.

Professor W. A. Irwin has edited the second edition of J. M. P. Smith's *The Prophets and Their Times*, which the University of Chicago Press published in May. He had an article on "Samuel and the Rise of the Kingdom" in the April *American Journal of Semitic Languages;* another, on "The Psalm of Habakkuk," will appear in the October issue. He is spending much time on the revision work for the American Standard Bible Committee. He attended the meeting of the Old Testament section in New Haven, June 9–21. Dr. Irwin says that they have still more than two years' work ahead, but that, when the New Testament is completed, it will be published. On May 18 he spoke at the Sunday Evening Club of the Englewood Baptist Church on "The English-speaking Democracies." Dr. Irwin and his family are summering in the woods in the Muskoka Lake district of Ontario.

Professor John T. McNeill lectured on "Natural Law in the Thought of Luther" before the American Society of Church History, which met in the Divinity School on May 16 and 17. He published an article in the summer number of *Christendom* entitled "Personal Counselling in Early Protestantism." He gave a lecture on "The University of Paris and Public Affairs" in a series on the medieval universities being given in the Summer Quarter in the University of Chicago. Dr. McNeill attended the conference of American and Canadian delegates on "a just and durable peace" held in Toronto, June 2–3, and the subsequent North American ecumenical conference there.

Professor D. W. Riddle spent the Spring Quarter in Birmingham Alabama, where he collaborated with Dr. Harold Hutson in the writing of a college textbook on *The History and Literature of Early Christianity*. He has published "The Influence of Environment on the Growing Gospel Tradition" in the *Journal of Religion* for July, 1941. During the quarter he spoke at the chapel services of Birmingham-Southern and of Howard College and preached in the McCoy Memorial, Walker Memorial, and Sunnyside Methodist churches in Birmingham, the First Methodist Church of Gadsden, Alabama and addressed the Sixth Avenue Presbyterian Church Forum. He visited Vicksburg and Natchez, Mississippi, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, and Pensacola and Panama City, Florida.

Professor Matthew Spinka is spending the summer in Wolfeboro, New Hampshire.

Professor W. W. Sweet and his wife went to their New Hampshire farm in the middle of May, where Dr. Sweet continued the writing of his book *Religion in Colonial America*. On June 15 he returned to Chicago and lectured at Garrett Biblical Institute during their summer school, June 16–July 18. Dr. Sweet lectured before the School of Ministerial Training at Bristol, Virginia, June 30–July 5. He also preached at the Morgan Park Methodist Church, June 22.

Professor H. N. Wieman recently addressed the Michigan Pastors' Conference; read a paper before the Southeast Association of Philosophy of Religion at Blue Ridge, North Carolina; gave a series of addresses at Lakeside on Lake Erie; and contributed a paper to the Conference of General Semantics, which met in Denver, Colorado. On June 29 he spoke at the University of Oklahoma. Professor Wieman's recent publications have included an article in the *Journal of Liberal Religion*, spring, 1941, and editorials in the *Protestant Digest*, May and July, 1941. He has been made a contributing editor of the *Protestant Digest* and also recently was appointed contributing editor of a forthcoming journal, the *Philosophy of Religion*. His book, *Now We Must Choose*, is scheduled to be published in September by the Macmillan Company. He will contribute a paper at the meeting of the Association for the Unity of Science to be held at the University of Chicago in September.

Dr. Allen P. Wikgren is spending his spare time this summer deciphering Greek ostraca. He read a paper on "New Christian Documents from Egypt" before the spring meeting of the Chicago Society of Biblical Research, March 3.

STUDENT AND SCHOOL ACTIVITIES

DIVINITY SCHOOL CONVOCATION AND LUNCHEON

Dean Colwell initiated a new plan for recognizing the graduating class of the Divinity School when the first Quarterly Divinity School Convocation was held in Joseph Bond Chapel on Tuesday, June 3, at 12:00 noon. Led by the choir, the Faculty and graduating class marched in academic procession to the front of the chapel, where a brief and appropriate service was held. Dean Colwell presided and read the Scripture. The address for the Faculty was given by Professor W. C. Bower and is printed as the leading article in this issue of the *Divinity School News*. Mr. Daniel Genung replied on behalf of the student body, and Dr. George Gordh spoke on behalf of the graduating class. Dr. Gordh's address also is printed in this issue. The closing prayer was offered by Dean Charles W. Gilkey. Members of the graduating class were seated in the front pews. Their names and the degrees which they received are as follows: Robert F. Ramm, A.B.; Harmon Hartzell Bro, A.B.; Eunice Beall Felter, A.M.; Fred Jerome Jackson, A.M.; Grace Elizabeth Storms, A.M.; Dan Baldwin Genung, Jr., B.D.; Charles William Phillips, B.D.; William Barnett Blakemore, Jr., Ph.D.; and George Rudolph Gordh, Ph.D.

After the service the Dean and Faculty entertained the members of the graduating class at luncheon in International House. Dean Colwell spoke, assuring the graduates of the continuing interest which the School would have in their work and expressing the hope that these graduates would take advantage of every means by which the School sought to be of service to its alumni. He also asked for the continued interest of these new members of the alumni in the School and its work.

THE DEAN'S DINNER

Introduced four years ago at the retirement of Shirley Jackson Case, the annual "Dean's Dinner" of the Divinity School this year climaxed a day of celebrative activities of the Divinity School, June 3. As recorded elsewhere, a service in Joseph Bond Chapel honored those taking degrees, as did the luncheon immediately following. That evening over one hundred students and Faculty members gathered together for an informal program in the University Church of the Disciples of Christ.

Features of the program were the Hawaiian songs of Abe Akaka, accompanying himself on the guitar, and three solos by Miss Ardis Molotof, soprano in the Joseph Bond Chapel choir. Jim Hornbeck entertained with an exhibition of sharpshooting, aided by Houston Smith. Other light interludes were provided by extemporaneous addresses by Edward Scribner Ames and Ernest Cadman Colwell, two of the three "Divinity Deans" who were honored at the dinner. Don Edwards, with Fred Neal at the piano, led group singing, and Dan Genung, outgoing student body president, served as toastmaster. The outgoing members of the student council—Grace Storms, Gertrude MacIntosh, and Dick Pope—were thanked for their services,

and the new officers—Dick Pope, Houston Smith, Betty Merrill, and Bryan Shelton—presented to the students. The dinner officially closed the year's activities.

MEAD AND HUDSON WIN SUSAN COLVER-ROSENBERGER PRIZE

The Susan Colver-Rosenberger Prize, which is awarded in turn by the Department of Education, the Divinity School, and the Department of Sociology in the University of Chicago, came to the Divinity School in 1941–42. It is given "as a reward for meritorious research and an acceptable thesis, or competitively for the best essay or thesis." The award was made at the Spring, 1941, convocation of the University and was divided equally between Sidney E. Mead, who is now Gerald Birney Smith instructor in the Divinity School, and Winthrop S. Hudson, pastor of Normal Park Baptist Church, Chicago. Their theses were judged the best doctoral dissertations produced in the Divinity School during the year.

PASTORS' INSTITUTE

The Tenth Pastors' Institute will be in session about the time that this issue of the *Divinity School News* reaches the alumni. It is anticipated that the total enrolment will exceed three hundred and fifty. Among the visiting lecturers and instructors will be Bishop Francis J. McConnell of New York City, Dr. Edwin McNeill Poteat, Cleveland; Dr. Smiley Blanton, psychiatrist, New York City; Rev. Otis R. Rice, rector of St. Luke's Hospital, New York City; Dr. Edward W. Blakeman, University of Michigan; Rev. Seward Hiltner, Federal Council of Churches; and Professor Gregory Vlastos, Queen's University, Kingston, Ontario. Seminars on religious work in colleges and universities and on religion and personality integration will be outstanding features of the program. About a dozen "refresher" courses in various fields will be offered by leading members of the faculties of the Divinity School, the Chicago Theological Seminary, and the Disciples Divinity House. The evening programs will be significant. There will be round-table discussions of such topics as "The World after the War: Economic and Political Arrangements"; "The Church after the War"; and "Religion and Human Freedom." Among the participants will be Professor H. N. Wieman; Professor Maynard Krueger, Socialist candidate for vice-president at the last national election; Dr. Quincy Wright, professor of international law; Professor Frank D. Knight of the Department of Economics; Father Harold J. Kenney, assistant to Bishop Sheil of Chicago; Rabbi Jacob Singer; Rev. Norris L. Tibbetts; Professor Arthur E. Holt; Dr. Bernadotte Schmitt, distinguished service professor of modern history; Bishop McConnell; President Albert W. Palmer; and Professor John Knox. Professor Paul Douglas, distinguished economist and alderman for the Fifth Ward, Chicago, will lecture on "What I Have Learned as a Politician," and Professor Vlastos will deliver the H. W. Thomas Lectures on "The Religious Foundations of Democracy."

ALUMNI NOTES

NORTHERN BAPTIST ALUMNI MEETING

The Divinity School Alumni Association of the Northern Baptist Convention held its annual luncheon at the Innes Tea Room, Wichita, Kansas, Thursday, May 22. Most of those present were delegates to the Northern Baptist Convention, which was then in session in Wichita. Dr. Joseph C. Hazen, of Summit, New Jersey, president of the Association and recording secretary of the Northern Baptist Convention, presided. At the speakers' table, besides Dr. Hazen, were Dean Ernest C. Colwell of the Divinity School; Rev. and Mrs. J. Harold Gamble (vice-president of the Association), Ames, Iowa; Dr. H. B. Benninghoff, thirty years a missionary at Waseda University, Tokyo, Japan; and Professor Charles T. Holman. President Hazen named Rev. George Fetter, pastor of University Baptist Church, Minneapolis, Minnesota, Rev. Ralph Ostergren, executive secretary of the Boston and Massachusetts Church Federations, and Rev. Walter Daniels, pastor of First Baptist Church, Vermillion, South Dakota, as a nominating committee. Later in the meeting this committee presented the following report: for president, Dr. D. R. Sharpe, superintendent of the Cleveland Baptist Association, Cleveland, Ohio; for vice-president, Rev. Franklin D. Elmer, Jr., pastor of the First Baptist Church, Lockport, New York; for secretary-treasurer, Professor Charles T. Holman of the Divinity School. On unanimous vote the nominees were elected to the offices indicated.

At the close of the luncheon Dr. James Franklin, president of Crozer Theological Seminary, bore the greetings of all the seminaries of the Northern Baptist Convention to the Divinity School. Rev. H. B. Benninghoff, already mentioned, also was presented and spoke briefly about his thirty years' work as professor and head of the Christian Center in Waseda University, Tokyo, Japan.

Dean Colwell was presented and spoke about the work of the Divinity School. Especial interest was shown during the question period in the named instructorship proposal and in the curricular changes for the various degrees. Sixty-three alumni and former students were present.

PERSONALS

W. S. Abernathy, D.D., a former president of the Divinity School Alumni Association, has announced his retirement as pastor of the Calvary Baptist Church, Washington, D.C., effective December 31, 1941. Dr. Abernathy offered his resignation on the twentieth anniversary of his pastorate in Washington, Sunday, May 4, and it was finally accepted by the church with great regret but only after earnest efforts to obtain a reconsideration. After a brief vacation, Dr. and Mrs. Abernathy intend to return to Washington to live. Calvary Church is one of the great churches of the Baptist denomination. The membership exceeds 3,500. Located as it is in the nation's capitol, the church has exercised a very large influence. Former Chief Justice Charles Evans Hughes is an active member, and many members of Congress attend regularly. During the two decades

of his ministry in Washingon, Dr. Abernathy has figured prominently in many religious and civic activities. He is a former president of the Washington Federation of Churches and of the Washington Ministerial Union. He is also past president of the Northern Baptist Convention, of the American Baptist Home Mission Society, and of the American Baptist Foreign Mission Society. He is at present an active member of the Public Relations Committee of the Northern and Southern Baptist Conventions. Before going to Washington, Dr. Abernathy served for nine years as pastor of the First Baptist Church, Kansas City, Missouri, and previously for thirteen years as pastor of First Baptist Church, Berwyn, Illinois.

George W. Chessman, B.D. '90, for eighteen years pastor of First Baptist Church, Peoria, Illinois, has accepted the call of the West Brae Baptist Church, Berkeley, California, and has already taken up his work in his new field.

Chaplain Alva J. Brasted, B.D. '05, former chief of chaplains and now editor of the *Army and Navy Chaplain*, retired at the age of sixty-five. However, the present emergency has created a demand in all branches of the army, and Chaplain Brasted has been returned to active service. He is stationed at Fort Belvoir, Virginia. He recently published a useful book entitled *Service to Service Men.* Out of twenty-eight years of service in the army, Colonel Brasted speaks with authority and great helpfulness to chaplains, and all others conducting religious service for soldiers, sailors, marines, airmen, and C.C.C. enrolees.

Bishop Ivan Lee Holt, Ph.D. '09, Methodist Church, Dallas, Texas, spoke on urgent problems in the Christian program in Blue Ridge, North Carolina, this June.

Guy C. Crippen, A.M. '11, is pastor of the First Baptist Church of Monmouth, Illinois, which celebrated its centennial this January, having been remodeled and redecorated.

Frederick B. Igler, '18, is Baptist representative on the staff of the Christian Association of the University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, which is this year celebrating its fiftieth anniversary. For nearly half of this period—twenty-four years this June to be exact—Dr. Igler has held his present position. He lives at 3601 Locust Street, W., Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

James Asa White, '23 (Th.D. Southern Baptist Theological Seminary, '23), is now acting minister, Union Baptist Church, Rio Vista, California. He is moderator of the Sacramento Baptist Association.

Clifford G. Manshardt, Ph.D. '24, is editor of the *Indian Journal of Social Work*, which is a substantial quarterly of 168 pages devoted to the interests of social work. Dr. Manshardt is assisted in the editing of the *Journal* by the faculty of the Sir Dorabji Tata Graduate School of Social Work, Bombay, India. The March issue contains an interesting and useful article by Dr. Manshardt entitled "Cooperation and Rural Reconstruction." In the same issue under the title "The Merom Idea," the address given by Dr. Arthur E. Holt at the dedication of new buildings at Merom Institute, Indiana, appears. Dr. Holt was visiting professor at the Tata school in 1936–37.

O. Leonard Jones, A.M. '28, of 134 South Fifth Street, Corvallis, Oregon, has a new pastorate in the Madison Street Methodist Church in that city.

Russell F. Judson, A.M. '25, B.D. '26, until recently pastor of the Cherry Street Baptist Church of Alton, Illinois, has been appointed director of promotion for the Illinois Baptist State Convention and the Chicago Baptist Association. Mr. Judson is a member of the board of trustees and executive committee of Shurtleff College; he has been dean of the Alton Community Leadership Training School; moderator of the Alton Baptist Association; president of the Alton Baptist Council; member of the Board of Managers of the Illinois Baptist State Convention; and chairman of the Committee on Revision of the Constitution.

Jeannette C. Hulbert, '29, is now living in Genera, Ohio. She was in Seoul, Korea, but with many other missionaries has been called home for a time.

O. Walter Wagner, '31, pastor of St. John's Evangelical and Reformed Church in Jackson, Michigan, has sent a most attractive annual report from his church. On the cover is shown the new chancel, and the contents of the report are very colorful and complete.

Milton O. Beebe, A.M. '32 (D.D. Simpson College, '38), is now chaplain, Fifth Corps Area, U.S. Army, with headquarters in Columbus, Ohio. His home address is 182 South Dawson Avenue, Bexley, Ohio, an interesting little suburb of Columbus.

Edmund J. Thompson, Ph.D. '33, has resigned his pastorate in the Aurora United Church, Aurora, Ontario, to accept the call of St. Luke's United Church, Montreal. This is one of the important churches in this great Canadian city.

Chaplain James Gordon De LaVergne was in the Divinity Office on June 27, 1941. He is in the army but at present is on duty on troop ships. He is 1940–41 national chaplain of the Regular Veterans Associations.

Chaplain Walter B. Zimmerman, A.M. '34, assistant to the chief of chaplains in the War Department, Washington, D.C., recently made a visit to Canada as a military observer of the chaplaincy.

Donald M. Typer, A.M., '34, who has been director of public relations for George Williams College, recently was appointed vice-president of the college and assumed his new duties immediately. Congratulations!

George F. Hall, Ph.D. '35, of 318 Myrtle Street, St. Peter, Minnesota, and his wife announce the birth of a son on May 27.

W. B. Djang, Ph.D. '36, dean of arts at Cheelo University, China, has been appointed director of the newly organized "Border Service Department" of the Church of Christ in China. A board of thirteen directors, composed of prominent citizens, supervises the work. The work, which is conducted among the wild border tribes, includes medical, educational, social welfare, and religious activities. As part of the program a research institute is planned in which the co-operation of universites and research institutes abroad will be sought. Research will have the threefold purpose of discovering and perpetuating desirable elements in native culture, discovering and eliminating causes of backwardness,

and investigating and removing causes of intertribal feuds.

John C. Irwin, A.B. '36 (B.D. Garrett Biblical Institute, '36), of 109 Ninth Street, South, Fargo, North Dakota, received the Doctor of Divinity degree at Garrett at the spring convocation, June 16. He served as dean of Morris, Minnesota, Summer School of Christian Education, July 7–18, and of North Dakota Summer School of Ministerial Training, August 11–16, at Grand Forks, North Dakota.

Kathryn Rogers, Ph.D. '37, P.O. Box 1063, Stanford University, California, was married on August 2, 1940, to Waldo Chamberlin, Ph.D., research associate, Hoover War Library, at Stanford University.

Richard L. James, A.M. '36, B.D. '37, 1017 Forty-third Place, Belview Heights, Birmingham, Alabama, has been elected to the executive committee of Disciples of Christ Historical Society. Last fall he was elected to head a commission to write a history of Christian churches in Alabama. The Woodlawn Christian Church, of which he is minister, has completed the building of a $10,000 educational plant.

Chesley T. Howell, Ph.D. '37, the College of Wooster, Wooster, Ohio, read a paper on "The Morphology of Thought" at the convention of the Philosophical Association at Indianapolis, April 25.

J. Edward Moseley, A.M. '37, 2700 Pine Street, St. Louis, Missouri, was elected president of Disciples of Christ Historical Society at its organizational meeting in St. Louis during the International Convention of Disciples, May, 1941. He was also named official delegate representing the Disciples to the North American Ecumenical Conference in Toronto, June 3–5. He has just concluded a two-year term as vice-president of the Associated Church Press, a national council of editors of Protestant church papers.

T. Cuyler Young, '38, who teaches in Canada at Victoria College in Toronto, was in the city this August.

A. C. Ronander, '38, assistant minister of the First Congregational Church, Oak Park, Illinois; Mr. Howard F. Schomer, '39, a member and formerly the assistant minister of this church, now the assistant to Dean Gilkey; and Mr. Philip Palmer, '40, a member of the United Church of Hyde Park, the assistant minister of the Austin Congregational Church and formerly a member of the First Congregational Church parish, were consecrated to the work of the Christian ministry on June 9 at a service of ordination in this church.

Dorothy E. Wiley, '38 (A.M., University of Michigan, '36), now a missionary under the Woman's American Baptist Foreign Missionary Society in Mandalay, Burma, reports an interesting work, particularly in the visitation of Burmese villages where schools are held and evangelistic work conducted.

Chalmer E. Faw, Ph.D. '39, Garkida *via* Jos, Nigeria, West Africa, began his pastorate at the First Church of Brethren in Garkida in January, 1941. He has passed the mission examination in the Bura language and is now engaged in compiling a complete dictionary of that language. He is a member of the committee for complete revision of the New Testament into Bura.

Albert Ickler, '39, Bochum, Johaniterstr. 34[1], bei Nennstiel, Germany, who is now serving in the German army, reports that his engagement to be married to Miss Hannah Fuhrmann of the city of Barmen in the Rhineland was announced on Christmas Day, 1940. He expresses the hope that peace will soon be restored in order that he may return to his congregation to preach the gospel.

Ellis Egbert Jensen, Ph.D. '39, who is secretary of the Round Table of Christians and Jews, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, was named secretary and treasurer of the Milwaukee Ministerial Association on May 26.

Elizabeth Lam, Ph.D. '39, dean of women and teacher of religion at Centre College, Danville, Kentucky, visited the Divinity School this spring. She spoke on June 20 on "Current Social Philosophies" at Blue Ridge, North Carolina.

Earl G. Linden, A.M. '39, and Mrs. Linden announce the birth of Arthur Walter Linden on June 24. They live at 247 West Upton Avenue, Reed City, Michigan.

Paul Rollo Lee, A.M. '40, and Lois Blair were married at the Thorndike Hilton Chapel of the Chicago Theological Seminary on the afternoon of June 7. Her sister was maid of honor. Dean Ames performed the ceremony, and a reception followed in the Cloisters. They are now living at 1916 Fifteenth Street, Gulfport, Mississippi.

Betty Merrill, A.M. '40, will marry John McCaw, recently appointed director of the Interchurch Council of the University of Chicago, on August 31, 1941.

The following are new addresses of former Divinity School students: Mary A. Heghin, 703 Bryan St., Peoria, Ill.; Ernest L. Ackiss, Dona Hotel, Honolulu, T.H.; W. G. Alcorn, Bogard, Mo.; Milton O. Beebe, Fort Hayes, Columbus, Ohio; William Earl Brehm, 1321 Prairie St., Des Plaines, Ill.; John M. F. Brown, 318 Cornell Ave. 2, Bellevue Station, Pittsburgh, Pa.; Lambert J. Case, P.O. Box 906, St. Louis, Mo.; George W. Chessman, West Brae Baptist Church, Berkeley, Calif.; Arthur L. Dickinson, 111 S. Second St., Cherokee, Iowa; Robert A. Edgar, 314 Nordica, Glenview, Ill.; D. F. Ehlman, New Oxford, Pa.; Haines F. Felter, 3707 Hillsdale Ave., Baltimore, Md.; Arnold E. Gregory, 310 W. One Hundred and Twentieth St., % Ford, New York City; Eugene Emanuel Hibshman, 225 Ottawa St., Leavenworth, Kan.; Frank M. Hopper, Gertrude Baird Hopper (Mrs.), 519 N. Wallace, Indianapolis, Ind.; Marycarol Jones, Welfare Office, Klamath Falls, Ore.; D. A. Leavit, 1350½ Sixth St., Long Beach, Calif.; Robert V. Meigs, Arthur, Ill.; James Millar, 1200 S.W. Alder, Portland, Ore.; William P. Osgood, % Avenue Clothiers, Yakima, Wash.; Paul G. Preston, 3536 N. Meridian St., Indianapolis, Ind.; William A. Riggs, Daly St., Neenah, Wis.; Paul G. Roofe, 421 Macon, Louisville, Ky.; Olive May Sarber, 421 Cajon St., Redlands, Calif.; Henry J. Schrag, Grand Tower, Ill.; Mary A. Stewart, % L. E. Ghetti, 461 Washington, Palo Alto, Calif.; Herbert Arthur Struges, 317 Bay St., Santa Monica, Calif.; Mary Swaney (Mrs.), % Herrmann, Roselle, Ill.; Paul E. Whitmer, 245 Grove St., Bluffton, Ohio; Carleton H. Currie, Linworth, Ohio; Walter E. Daniels, First Baptist

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Phillip W. Walker, Denton, Tex.; Earl C. Dahlstrom, St. John's University, Shanghai, China.

The following changes of addresses were received from various readers of the *Divinity School News* who answered our request for information concerning the whereabouts of these and other alumni: Lila Pearl Attig (now Mrs. Stanley Powell), P.O. Box 202, Berea, Ky.; Paul W. Bloomquist, 4011 N. Avers, Chicago, Ill.; Fritz Chartron, Benzonville, Ill.; Fred Groetsema and Mrs. Lucille Groetsema, Congregational Church, Sierra Madre, Calif.; Louise McCurdy (now Mrs. Harold Cram), Kahului, Maui, T.H.; Clayton H. Wilson, 502 Maple Ave., La Porte, Ind.; George Zachariades, Greek Theological School, Pomfret Center, Conn.; Anna Haynes (Mrs. George E.), 728 W. First St., Elmira, N.Y.

Following are the names of more alumni and former students whose addresses we would like very much to obtain: Gregg, Lucius Perry, '25–'27; Jacobson, David Seer, '33; Jones, Vasile William, A.M. '26; Meachan, Frank Townsend, '15–'17, '27, '35; Reeve, James Josiah, D.B. '98, A.M. '16; Rosenthal, Norbert L., '31; Welke, Melvin Louis, Ph.B. '27; and Wright, Latham E., '30.

In Memoriam

Bruno Hermann Luebeck died in China of heart failure on March 25 of this year. Mr. Luebeck received his A.M. degree in 1931 at the University of Chicago. Mr. Luebeck also studied at Rochester Theological Seminary in 1927, and at Dakota Wesleyan University in 1929.

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